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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title):   ACTUATOR CONTROL APPARATUS

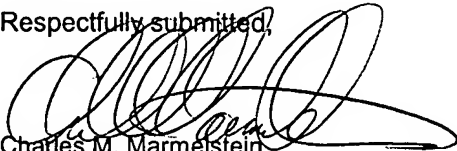By (Inventors):   Yuji YASUI (Saitama, JP), Kanako SHIMOJO (Saitama, JP), Eijiro SHIMABUKURO (Saitama, JP)

☒ 70 pages of Specification/Claims 1-17/Abstract are attached.
☒ Formal drawings (Figs. 1-16; 16 sheets) are attached.
☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.
☒ An assignment of the invention to HONDA MOTOR CO., LTD. is attached, along with Form PTO-1595 and a check for $40.00.
☒ An Information Disclosure Statement is attached, along with Form PTO-1449, and 1 reference.
☒ Priority of foreign application Nos. 2002-378624 filed December 26, 2002 in Japan and 2003-089777 filed March 28, 2003 in Japan is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
☒ Certified copies of the above corresponding foreign applications are attached.

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BASIC FEE				$ 385	OR		$ 770
TOTAL CLAIMS	29 - 20	= 9	x 9 =	$	OR	x 18	$ 162
INDEP CLAIMS	2 - 3	= 0	x 43 =	$	OR	x 86	$
☒ MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS			+145 =	$	OR	+290	$ 290
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